Forecast For Orkney & Shetland
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Headline:
A day of blustery, occasionally heavy, showers.

Today:
Frequent showers will continue to be driven across the Northern Isles on the fresh to strong west to southwest winds. Some of the outbreaks will be heavy, bringing hail and perhaps some thunder. Maximum temperature 6 deg C (43 deg F).

Tonight:
Further frequent showers for the evening and night, though as the brisk west to southwest winds ease overnight outbreaks will turn lighter with the chance of hail and thunder receding. Minimum temperature 0 deg C (32 deg F).

Tuesday:
As Monday with further sunshine and showers, however outbreaks will be relatively light. West to southwest winds will ease light into the afternoon. Maximum temperature 6 deg C (43 deg F).

Outlook for Wednesday to Friday:
Light winds, sunshine and occasional light showers Wednesday. Thursday rather cloudy with strengthening northerly winds, bringing showers or longer periods of rain, sleet, possibly wet snow. Wintry showers for Friday.

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